CHIKMAGALUR.

8. Markets are well supplied except for foodgrains.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, jola and sugarcane.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, jola, til, horsegram and sugarcane. They are in good condition. Paddy crop has been affected due to rains in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and ragi crop in Tarikere and Kadur Taluks.

10. *Public Health.*—Plague continues to prevail in Chikmagalur Town, and in sorrounding village and also in Harihara pura of Koppa Taluk and Singatagere in Kadur Taluk. Care is being taken to control the epidemic.

Seasonal conditions are normal. Short term paddy is damaged in Narasimharajapura Taluk owing to excessive rains as also ragi and jola in Kadur, Tarikere and Chickmagalur Taluks.

11. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Sowing.*—Paddy in Chellakere Taluk is reported to be in progress.

Standing Crops.—Cotton, avare, togari, pady in Harihar Taluk; paddy, jola, navane, save, sajje, togari, horsegram, Bengalgram and oil seeds in Chellekere; paddy, sugarcane, ragi, togari, horsegram, cotton and navane in Hiriyur Taluk; cotton, sugarcane, togari, avare and Bengalgram in Davangere Taluk; togari, navane, ragi, bilijola, chillies and horsegram in Holalkere Taluk; castor, groundnut, paddy, horsegram and til in Molakalmuru, Hosadurga and Chitaldrug Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Harvest.—Jola, navane, ragi, sugarcane, paddy, Kesari jola, sajje are reported to be in progress.

10. Relief works started in previous year are in progress. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour throughout the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District, except in a few villages of Challakere, Hosadurga and Molakalmuru Taluks where Black-quarter disease is prevailing. Precautionary measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available throughout the District.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM, AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE 47TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 20TH NOVEMBER 1948.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas — Rice, 2nd sort Srs.	Chs.	Ragi Srs.	Chs.	Horse-gram Srs.	Chs.	Bengal-gram Srs.	Chs.
Bangalore	Bangalore	1	4	2	8	2	4	1	4
	Hoskote	1	4	2	8	1	8	1	12
	Dodballapur	1	4	2	8	2	4	2	0
	Nelamangala	1	4	3	0	2	8	1	8
	Kankanhalli	1	4	3	0	2	8	2	0
	Magadi	1	4	3	0	2	0	1	8
	Channapatna	1	4	3	0	2	0	2	0
	Anekal	1	8	3	0	2	0	2	0
	Devanhalli	1	8	2	8	2	8	2	0
	Closepet	1	4	3	0	2	8	2	0
Kolar	Kolar	2	8	2	8	1	12	1	8
	Bowringpet	2	8	2	8	2	0	1	8
	Chintamani	2	8	2	8	1	8	1	8
	Mulbagal	2	8	2	8	2	0	1	4
	Sidlaghatta	2	8	2	8	2	0	1	4
	Chikballapur	2	8	2	12	2	0	1	4
	Bagepalli	2	8	2	8	2	0	1	4
	Goribidnur	2	8	2	12	2	0	1	8
	Malur	2	8	2	8	2	8	1	8
	Srinivaspur	2	8	2	4	2	0	1	0
	Gudibanda	2	8	2	8	2	8	1	0
Tumkur	Tumkur	1	25	3	0	2	0	...	
	Madhugiri	1	26	3	0	2	0	...	
	Chiknayakanhalli	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
	Sira	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
	Gubbi	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
	Tiptur	1	25	3	0	2	0	...	
	Pavagada	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
	Kunigal	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
	Koratagere	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
	Turuvekere	1	5	3	0	2	0	...	
Mysore	Mysore	2	8	3	0	3	0	...	
	Chamarajnagar	2	8	3	0	3	0	...	
	Hunsur	2	8	3	0	3	0	...	
	Krishnarajnagar	2	8	3	0	3	0	...	
	Heggaddevankote	2	0	3	0	3	0	...	
	Gundlupet	2	0	3	0	3	0	...	
	Nanjangud	1	4	3	0	3	0	...	
	T.-Narasipur	1	4	3	0	3	0	...	
	Periyapatna	2	0	3	0	3	0	...	
Mandya	Mandya	Not furnished							
	Seringapatam								
	Malvalli								
	Krishnarajpet								
	Nagamangala								
	Maddur								
	French-Rocks								
Hassan	Hassan	3	0	5	0	1	12	1	0
	Manjarabad	3	0	5	0	1	12	1	0
	Arkalgud	3	0	5	0	2	0	1	4
	Belur	3	0	5	0	1	12	1	8
	Channarayapatna	3	0	5	0	2	0	1	4
	Arsikere	3	0	5	0	2	0	1	4
	Hole-Narsipur	3	0	5	0	2	0	1	4
	Alur	3	0	5	0	2	0	...	
Shimoga	Shimoga	1	8	...		2	0	1	4
	Channagiri	1	12	3	0	2	8	1	4
	Honnali	1	12	3	0	2	8	1	8
	Shikarpur	2	0	3	0	2	8	1	4
	Sorab	2	0	3	0	2	0	1	2
	Sagar	1	12	3	0	2	4	1	4
	Nagar	2	4	3	8	1	8	1	4
	Thirthahalli	...		...		2	8	1	4
	Kumsi	1	12	2	8	2	4	1	10
Chikmagalur	Chikmagalur	...		4	0	2	8	1	8
	Kadur	...		3	0	2	8	1	4
	Tarikere	...		2	12	2	0	1	8
	Koppa	...		4	0	1	4	1	4
	Mudigere	...		2	8	1	12	1	0
	Narasimharajapura	...		3	0	1	8	1	8
	Sringeri	...		4	0	2	0	1	4
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	...		...		...		...	
	Challaakere	...		...		...		...	
	Hiriyur	...							
	Holalkere	...							
	Davangere	...							
	Molakalmuru	...	Not Received						
	Jagalur	...							
	Hosdurga	...							
	Harihar	...							

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, THE 11TH NOVEMBER 1948.

A total of 58 attacks with 31 deaths from Plague was returned from 31 villages in 17 taluks in 6 districts during the week against 75 attacks with 37 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields Area reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1947 and 1946 were 116 attacks with 58 deaths and 37 attacks with 31 deaths, respectively.

A total of 13 attacks with 3 deaths from Small-pox were reported from Belur, Arsikere, Chintamani, Sagar and Kunigal Taluks.

Ten attacks with 2 deaths from Cholera were reported from Heggaddevankote Taluk.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 140 (32 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 23·9 (18·4 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 19·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 4 under Other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 21 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 108 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week, the Civil Station, Bangalore, returned 78 deaths (24 in hospitals) for six days representing a calculated death-rate of 26·9 (18·6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 24·2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Broncho-Pneumonia 4, Pneumonia 5, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 8 and All Other Causes 60.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 58 (21 in hospitals) for six days representing a calculated death-rate of 19·4 (12·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 13·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were; Malaria 1, Typhoid 1, Other Fevers 4, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 5 and All Other Causes 43. The reported mortality was very low.

There were 25 deaths (1 in hospital) for five days from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 10·7 (10·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 11·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 3 under Other Fevers, 1 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 21 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very very low.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER 1948.

A total of 42 attacks with 17 deaths from plague was returned from 21 villages in 15 taluks in 6 districts during the week against 58 attacks with 31 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields Area reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1947 and 1946 were 130 attacks with 83 deaths and 46 attacks with 22 deaths, respectively.

A total of 11 attacks with nil death from Small-pox were reported from Chicknaikanhally and Kunigal Taluks.

One attack with nil death from Cholera was reported from Heggaddevankote Taluk.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 130 (40 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 22·2 (15·4 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 22·8 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered : 4 under Other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 13 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 107 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week the Civil Station, Bangalore, returned 70 deaths (1 in hospitals) for 6 days representing a calculated death-rate of 24·2 (19·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille, of population (annual basis) as against 26·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Broncho-Pneumonia 1, Pneumonia 10, Typhoid 2, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 8 and All Other Causes 45.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 27 (15 in hospitals) for 6 days representing a calculated death-rate of 9·0 (4·0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 40·2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Broncho-Pneumonia 1, Other Fevers 4, and All Other Causes 22. The reported mortality was very very low.

There were 6 deaths (2 in hospitals) for 4 days from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields Area, equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 3·6 (7·5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 16·1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered : 2 under Other Fevers, 1 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 13 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very very low.

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